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## CITY ATTORNEY RESPONDS TO STATEMENTS MADE BY MAYOR & CITY MANAGER

City Attorney Michael Aguirre would like to clarify the record regarding comments made today by City Manager LaMont Ewell at a joint news conference with Mayor Dick Murphy. Originally, the news conference related to Mr. Ewell's plans to resign at the end of the year.

• Mr. Ewell stated the Audit Committee was waiting for Mr. Aguirre's facts to support his Interim Report #2.

Mr. Aguirre's response:

Last Friday, Mr. Aguirre spoke with the Audit Committee. He reminded the Audit Committee that all his supporting documentation was attached to the Interim Report #2. The Audit Committee thanked Mr. Aguirre for the information. Interim Reports #1 & #2 can be found on the City Attorney's web site: sandiegocityattorney. org

• Mr. Ewell stated the Vinson & Elkins law firm never said its Report #2 would be completed by April 15<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Aguirre is making that statement. It's not coming from Vinson & Elkins. We hope they'll get it done before the end of the month.

Mr. Aguirre's response:

Last Friday, the City's outside bond counsel, John McNaley, confirmed in a telephone conversation that Paul Maco had told him the report may be completed by "late spring."

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